



**Sunday, September 24<sup>th</sup>**

**9:00 am St. John Nepomucene Parish**  
**11:00 am Robert DeMore**  
**1<sup>st</sup> Anniversary**

**Monday, September 25<sup>th</sup>**

**No Morning Mass**

**Tuesday, September 26<sup>th</sup>**

**8:30 am Eva Nieszczur**

**Wednesday, September 27<sup>th</sup>**

**No Morning Mass**

**Thursday, September 28<sup>th</sup>**

**8:30 am Leonard Dzigiel**  
**1<sup>st</sup> Anniversary**

**Friday, September 29<sup>th</sup>**

**8:30 am Evelyn Single**

**Saturday, September 30<sup>th</sup>**

**4:00 pm Elizabeth Cymanski**

**Sunday, October 1<sup>st</sup>**

**9:00 am Dorothy Kara &**  
**Virginia Bonzak**  
**11:00 am Carl Badowski, Deceased**  
**& Theresa Badowski;**  
**Health & Blessings**

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**Sanctuary Guild Volunteers**

September 27<sup>th</sup> thru October 10<sup>th</sup>  
Barbara Nieszczur & Patty Kowalec

**Sick Calls** – Please call the rectory to arrange for Father Jasany to bring the Sacraments when a member of your family is hospitalized.

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**Weddings** – Parishioners are asked to call the rectory office at least 6 months in advance of the wedding to schedule an appointment with Father Jasany.

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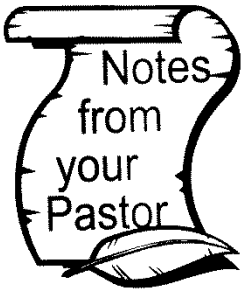
**Baptisms** – The 1st & 3rd Sunday of the month at 12:00 pm. Parents are required to attend Pre-Baptism Class. Arrangements must be made a minimum of 2 weeks prior to the date of baptism. Before parents baptize their child, Diocesan and parish policy requires you to complete a Baptism Preparation Class. **The next class will be on Sunday, October 1<sup>st</sup> at St. John Nepomucene Parish at 12:30 pm.** Reservations needed; please call 216-641-8444 to register.

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**Godparent and Sponsor Certificate** – Sponsors for Baptism or Confirmation must be registered and practicing members of the Church, attending weekly and Holy Day Masses for a minimum of 3 months prior to the celebration of the Sacraments for which they have requested the certificate. Please note individuals 18 years of age and older, no longer in school, need to register.

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**Pre-Cana Program** for couples preparing for the Sacrament of Marriage at the Jesuit Retreat House on **Sunday, October 22<sup>nd</sup> at 12:45 pm.** Program satisfies the requirement for marriage preparation as stipulated by the Catholic Diocese of Cleveland. Register at 440-884-9300 or [www.jrhcleve@att.net](mailto:www.jrhcleve@att.net)



Dear Parishioners,

We began our Parish School of Religion Year on September 18<sup>th</sup> with a Mass and parent meeting in our church. We are

fortunate to have Miss Judy Lasecki and our staff of dedicated teachers to instruct our children in the Catholic faith. Our Parish Growing in Faith Program is open to students from other parishes as well. Please encourage your children and grandchildren to come for instruction in our faith. Extend the invitation to their friends and classmates. Please contact Miss Judy Lasecki, our PSR Principal at 216-641-8444, ext. 29 to register.

By Our Blessed Mother's altar, we have a picture of adults bringing children to Jesus. This is a mission which we all share in. Please prayerfully consider extending the invitation to your children, grandchildren, nephews and nieces.

We are grateful for the efforts of Miss Judy Lasecki and our dedicated teachers of our Parish School of Religion – Mrs. Patricia Bednarz, Mrs. Sharon Hensel, Miss Sue McDonough, Miss Lois Pupkiewicz and Mr. Vince Radzilowski. They are a great blessing to us.

Let us consider extending this invitation to our children to come to Our Lord.

Prayers and Best Wishes,  
Father Jasany

## Stewardship of Treasure

Sunday, September 17 <sup>th</sup>	\$2119.00
Maintenance Fund	50.00
Utilities	117.00
Assessments	15.00
Novena Lights	20.00
Catholic Communications	10.00
Hurricane Relief Fund	1398.00

Thank you for your generosity to our Parish. May God continue to bless you!

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### Sunday, September 24<sup>th</sup>

**Today is the annual collection for Catholic Communication Campaign.** Envelopes are in your monthly envelope packet.

**\$1000 Raffle** after our 11 am Mass

**St. Vincent de Paul Society Meeting**  
10 am at the rectory.

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### Monday, September 25<sup>th</sup>

**PSR Classes 6:30 – 8 pm**

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### Wednesday, September 27<sup>th</sup>

**Rosary Makers 10 am- Noon**

**East 50<sup>th</sup> Street Block Club Meeting**  
6:30 pm

**Choir Practice – 7 pm**

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### Thursday, September 28<sup>th</sup>

**WOMANKIND** wishes to thank everyone for their support over the years and invite you to an open house at their new facility – 5350 Transportation Blvd; Suite 18 in Garfield Hts from 3-8 pm. Come meet the staff, tour the facility, find out about volunteer opportunities and see where your donations and baby bottle money are put to use. We hope to see you there!

**Saturday, September 30<sup>th</sup>**

**St. Malachi Parish free one-day  
Addiction Awareness Workshop**

9 am – 4 pm. For a brochure/to register  
visit [www.stmalachi.org/samiratan-  
ministry-2017](http://www.stmalachi.org/samiratan-ministry-2017) or St. Malachi rectory at  
216-861-5343

**St. Wenceslaus Day Celebration at Our  
Lady of Lourdes Parish.** For more  
information call Our Lady of Lourdes at  
216-641-2829.

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**Sunday, October 1<sup>st</sup>**

**Baptism Preparation Class** at our Parish  
at 12:30 pm

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**Readings for the Week of September 24<sup>th</sup>**

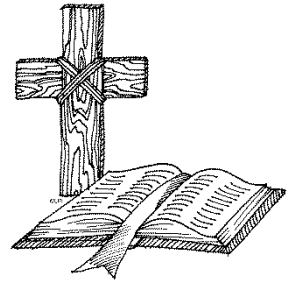
Sunday: Is 55:6-9/Ps 145:2-3, 8-9,  
17-18/Phil 1:20c-24, 27a/Mt 20:1-16a  
Monday: Ezr 1:1-6/Ps 126:1b-6/  
Lk 8:16-18  
Tuesday: Ezr 6:7-8, 12b, 14-20/  
Ps 122:1-5/Lk 8:19-21  
Wednesday: Ezr 9:5-9/Tb 13:2-4befghn,  
7-8/Lk 9:1-6  
Thursday: Hg 1:1-8/Ps 149:1b-6a, 9b/  
Lk 9:7-9  
Friday: Dn 7:9-10, 13-14 or  
Rv 12:7-12a/Ps 138:1-5/Jn 1:47-51  
Saturday: Zec 2:5-9, 14-15a/  
Jr 31:10-12ab, 13/Lk 9:43b-45  
Next Sunday: Ez 18:25-28/Ps 25:4-9/  
Phil 2:1-11 or 2:1-5/Mt 21:28-32

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**We Need Your Help....**We are trying to  
contact Linda Briggs who attended our  
Parish Picnic, but did not leave a phone  
number. If you know Linda could you  
please have her contact Mrs. Kowalski at  
the rectory office; 216-641-8444. Thank  
You!

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May our prayers bring  
healing, comfort and  
strength to the sick  
and their caregivers,  
remembering  
especially



Mary Adams,  
Greg Basco, Gwen Beres,  
Mary Ann Betliskey, Phillip Bilelo,  
Noella Burrows, Pat Colburn,  
Donna Czyzynski, Judy Davis,  
Corrine Dawe, Carole Dlouhy,  
Robert Dunning, Jose Dybzinski, Jason  
Glaros, Judy Glaros, Ron Glaros,  
Kristin Hill, Millie Jasany, Suzanne Kilker,  
Lucy Konkoly, Tom Konkoly,  
Judy Landolph, Bishop Richard Lennon,  
John Limber, Barbie Lister, Art Madsen,  
Therese McFadden, Rose Meadows,  
Jeanette Miller, Marguerite Miller,  
Jeannette Morrow, Louis Novac,  
Art Novotny, Dan Palmentera,  
John Pocius, Betty Rhine, Brianna Rhine,  
Patricia Rhine, Joel Rivera,  
Bob Schippling, Margaret Slechta,  
Elaine Stack, Brian Storey,  
Rev. John Tezie, Aaron Thiem,  
Andrew Turowski, Ed Vitigoj,  
Carole Walk, Ron Walk, Robert Wagner  
and David Zelenka.

May our Loved Ones who have died  
rest in eternal peace in heaven  
remembering especially Ronald  
Dobransky, whose funeral is Monday,  
September 25th.

For the Men and Women  
serving in the military, especially those  
from our parish & their families.

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**A Stewardship Moment...** From an early age, we tend to distort the concept of “fairness”: “I am good. I deserve good things. I am not receiving good things. Something must be wrong. Who’s going to fix it?” We also know the age-old expression: “Who ever said life was fair?” Jesus knew this expression when he offered his parable in today’s Gospel reading. Christian stewards acknowledge, with humility, that they receive good things from the Lord in abundance; even if these gifts are not the ones they think they need when they need them. Consider which servants you identify with most in the Gospel reading, the ones who demand “fairness”, or that final servant who, seemingly, deserves the least.

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## **COMING EVENTS**

**St. Stanislaus Polish Festival** to be held October 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup>. Dinners, Music & Entertainment each day. Polish & Domestic Beers, Wine and Spirits. For information call 216-341-9091 or visit [www.ststanislaus.org](http://www.ststanislaus.org)

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**Our Lady of Lourdes Parish,** 3395 East 53<sup>rd</sup> Street 10<sup>th</sup> Annual International Food & Culture Festival on Saturday October 21<sup>st</sup> from 5-8 pm. Bilingual mass at 4 pm. Enjoy foods from European, Latin American & Asian Countries. Folkloric music & dance. Money Raffle. For more information call Our Lady of Lourdes at 216-641-2829.

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**40<sup>th</sup> Annual Walk of Hope for Catholic Charities Disability Services & Ministries;** October 7<sup>th</sup> at St. Augustine Church; 246 West 14<sup>th</sup> Street. For details contact [mjscott@ccdoble.org](mailto:mjscott@ccdoble.org) or call 216-334-2963

**Our new Bishop, Nelson Perez** is looking forward to meeting the priests and people of our Diocese. With this in mind, we will celebrate a special Mass with Bishop Perez on Wednesday, October 18<sup>th</sup> at St. Stanislaus Church; 3649 East 65<sup>th</sup> street at 7 pm. Afterwards everyone is invited to a reception that will follow in the Social Center, where there will be an opportunity to meet and greet the Bishop. This event is being held just for the parishes of the Cleveland Southeast and Central East District. We look forward to seeing you at this celebration.

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**To Jesus through Mary!** The traveling statue of Our Lady of Fatima will be at Mary Queen of the Apostles Parish, 6455 Engle Road in Brookpark, Ohio. Everyone is invited from October 4<sup>th</sup> thru 9<sup>th</sup> to many different opportunities for prayer and devotions. Services are scheduled for days and evenings. Please call Eileen Dropic at 216-433-1069 for more information.

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**The next Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend** will be at the Clarion Inn & Conference Center in Hudson, November 10<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup>. This is a beautiful weekend experience designed for couples of all ages and backgrounds. It will take you from where you are to another level! Make this autumn special by devoting one weekend for the most important relationship in your life. Questions and reservations at [Greatmarriagesohio.org](http://Greatmarriagesohio.org) or call 330-305-9963

# Thanks

Another Parish Picnic has come and gone! It was a wonderful picnic sharing the day with our parish family and friends! We couldn't have asked for better weather. Thank you God for that! We were happy to see everyone enjoying the music, food and kids entertainment.

Thank you to everyone who came to help load up and get things to Klima Garden, and the biggest thank you to those who stayed after the picnic to clean up. That's the biggest job at the end of the night! To the Fundraising Committee – what a huge help you all were! Thank you for your commitment and friendships!

The committee would like to thank our parish community for their continued support! Thank you all from the bottom of our hearts. Your generosity with donations for our basket raffle was awesome. We hope that you enjoyed the day. To all of the volunteers, your time is very much appreciated, so thank you again!

Father Jasany, thanks for your support in what we do and all the prayers and for bringing mass to us on that beautiful day.

We look forward to seeing everyone at Friendsgiving on Saturday, November 4<sup>th</sup> after 4 pm Mass. This will be the kickoff for the Giving Tree. Please watch the bulletin for further details.

God Bless!

Kathy Bartoszek & the Picnic Committee

## Church Memorials

In Loving Memory of Rich Sempruch  
from his Wife, Lynne  
Happy Birthday!

In Loving Memory of Matt Garran  
from his Sister-in-Law,  
Suzanne Camp

In Loving Memory of  
Our Brother, Russ Vanek  
on his 70<sup>th</sup> Birthday from  
Elaine Trautman &  
Sue & Larry Hovater

In Loving Memory of Kathryn Ksiazka  
from her Husband, Edward

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### Upcoming Events at Area High Schools:

**Trinity High School** invites all 8<sup>th</sup> grade students to their annual "Walking with the Spirit" Retreat at Camp Christopher, October 13-14<sup>th</sup>. For more information or to register, visit Trinity's website at [www.ths.org/spirit](http://www.ths.org/spirit) or call 216-581-1061

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**St. Edward High School**; 13500 Detroit Avenue in Lakewood Open House on Sunday, October 15<sup>th</sup> from 11 am – 1 pm.

St. Edward High School Admission Test on Saturday, October 21<sup>st</sup> at 9 am; Wednesday, October 25<sup>th</sup> at 5:30 pm; Saturday, October 28<sup>th</sup> at 9 am. There is a \$20 test fee payable on the date of the test. Testing for 8<sup>th</sup> grade boys only. Parent information sessions are held during each test. St. Ed's accepts the Cleveland Scholarship Program Voucher. Call 216-5521-2204 or [admission@sehs.net](mailto:admission@sehs.net) for information or to register.